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To: Microsoft ATR
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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

My name is John Boatwright and I am a resident of Tega Cay, South Carolina. I am writing to congratulate the Justice Department and Microsoft on reaching a settlement of the antitrust litigation, and to express my support for the settlement and an end to the court proceedings. I believe that the settlement reached adequately addresses the primary complaints raised by Microsoft's competitors. Microsoft has agreed to open its Windows applications to competition both by allowing the removal of Microsoft based programs from the Windows system as well as by allowing promotion of competitors' software within the Windows system. I also support the non-retaliation provisions to which Microsoft has agreed in its dealings with software competitors. I sincerely appreciate the opportunity to express my opinion. Please move forward with the settlement as quickly as possible. Sincerely,
John M. Boatwright, III

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I have attached a PDF of my signed letter

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